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PRIVATE ENTERTAINMENT
FOR MAN AND HORSE,
On Main street, next door to Doctor Downing.
By WILLIAM ALLEN.

LAST NOTICE.

The partnership of M'Coun & Castleman has been some time dissolved, by mutual consent, which was made known by a former advertisement. All persons indebted to them, are earnestly requested to make payment of their respective accounts to James M'Coun, before the tenth of April next. Those who do not avail themselves of this notice, may depend on having their accounts put into the hands of proper officers for collection, as no further indulgence can be given.

JAMES M'COUN,
JOHN CASTLEMAN.

March 22.

FOR SALE,

The tract of LAND on which I now live, lying about two miles from Lexington, near the Georgetown road, containing two hundred acres; it is well watered and timbered, about 50 acres cleared—the title indisputable. For terms apply to the subscriber who now resides on the premises.

FRANCIS DILL.

March 24.

For sale,

THE FOLLOWING TRACTS OF LAND.

ONE tract lying in the county of Campbell, on the waters of Locum creek, containing 2699 acres. One tract lying on Long Lick creek, a branch of Rough creek, Hardin county, about seven miles from Madison, containing 2499 acres.

The above land will be disposed of on moderate terms, half of the purchase money to be rate carried down, for the other a credit of twelve months will be given; the purchaser giving bond with approved security. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Capt. Robt. Craddock in Danville, or JOHN W. HOLT, atto. in fact. B. 32 for THOS. HOLT.

The managers of the Lexington Lodge Lottery having announced to the publick that the drawing of that lottery will certainly commence the 10th June next—Advertisers in the Lexington Chances of Insurance Lottery, will take notice, that agreeably to the original plan thereof, the drawing of the former will determine the fate of the tickets of the latter.

A few Tickets remain on hand which may be had on application to the

MANAGERS.

Lexington, May 23, 1797

For sale

FOR CASH OR MERCHANDISE, Two thousand five hundred acres of LAND, lying on the Twins, about 25 miles from the seat of government, and about ten from Brannon's Lick—said land was located and surveyed in the name of Thomas Turpin, and adjoining a tract advertised by Mr. T. Turpin, of Woodford county. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Capt. Walker Baylor near Lexington, or to the subscriber in Garrard county.

WILLIAM M. BLEDSOE.

June 19.

THE TURNPIKE
ON the wilderness road will be let to the highest bidder on the fifth Tuesday in August next, for one year—the person who farms it giving bond & approved security to his excellency the governor.

GEORGE DAVIDSON, Comr.

July 29, 1797. 4wt

WANTED

A person who is well acquainted with Malting & Brewing of Beer, & also A DISTILLER. Great encouragement will be given—Apply to A. Holmes.

Lexington, July 26, 1797.

Notice,

I hereby give, that we shall meet on Monday the 28th day of August next, with the commissioners appointed for, that purpose by the county court of Bourbon, at a large ashump, on the Lime-stone road, a small distance from the Irish flat, between it and the Blue Licks, to perpetuate the testimony of sundry witnesses concerning an ash tree, marked IC, which is the beginning of a good acre entry made in the name of Samuel Hawes, dec. agreeable to an act assembly entitled "An act to reduce into one, the several acts to ascertain the boundaries of land, and for prosecuting Lands," and then and there to do such things as may be deemed necessary, and the law requires.

ROBERT BUCKNER,

one of the devisees and agent for Hawes' heirs.

LARAN SHIFF, PURCHASER,
COLBY SHIFF.

July 17, 1797. 4wt

Bank bills of exchange, printed with a script type, on good paper.

State of Kentucky.

Washington District, etc.

June Term, 1797.

Meredith Helm, complainant,

AGAINST

Benjamin Fitzgerald, heir at law $\frac{3}{4}$ defendant.

John Fitzgerald dec.

In Chancery.

The defendant not having entered his appearance agreeably to an act of assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant is not amenable to this court, the motion of the complainant, by his attorney, is ordered, that the defendant appear here on the third day of October next, and answer the complaint in his bill; and that a copy of this order be inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, another published at the door of the court house of Mason county, and that this order be published some Sunday immediately after Divine service, at the door of the Baptist meeting house in the town of Washington.

(A copy) Teste FRANCIS TAYLOR, C.W.D.

Scott County, etc.

March Court Q. S. 1797.

Harry Lewis Eq. complainant,

v. s.

David Ross, Adm. of John May $\frac{3}{4}$ defendants,

et al. dec.

In Chancery.

The defendant David Ross, not having entered his appearance, and given facts according to the act of assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of this court, that he is not an inhabitant of this state—on the motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, David, do appear here on the fourth Monday in July next, and answer the complaint of the complainant, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, and also set up at the front door of the Court house in Georgetown. (A copy) Teste JOHN HAWKINS, C.R. Car. J.Hip.

Excellent Vinegar for sale

At my full house in Lexington, by the large or small quantity.

SAUGRAIN.

June 16, 1797.

FOR SALE,
An Overshot Merchant-Mill
With two pair of Stones, together with
Saw-Mill and Distillery,
STANDING in Madison county, opposite
on Silver creek, six miles from the Kentucky river. Also, about

140 Acres of Land,

Twenty-five of which are cleared. The gift-mill will be finished in a few weeks by an eminent European millwright, and upon the belt construction. The situation of the mills is well known to be as good as any in the state. The dam and race, have stood the late heavy floods without damage, and the stream continues the whole year. Any person inclined to purchase, may apply to George Smart in Lexington, or to Robert Smart, at the mills.

GEORGE SMART.

ROBERT SMART.

July 10, 1797.

N. B. If the Mills are not sold when finished, they will be let for 7 years.

THE SUBSCRIBER

I empowered to sell the following tracts of land
1443 acres, on Panther creek, Nelson county,
400 acres, ditto.
40-6 acres, ditto.
5333 acres, near the mouth of Green river,
Hardin county.
3200 acres, Bourbon county, on the waters of
Big Sandy.
3200 acres, ditto, on the waters of the North fork of Licking, and waters of John's fork of Licking.
1200 acres, Fayette county, near the dividing ridge between the fork of Licking and Elkhorn.
2666 acres, of Conjectural Military land on the Ohio river, and Patapsco creek.
1200 acres, ditto, on the waters of Claylick creek.
1200 acres, ditto, on Claylick creek, waters of Cumberland and the terms may be known by application to Mr. Sam'l Ayres Lexington, or Mr. Acilus Speed in Frankfort or to the subscriber.

JOHN DANIEL.

Blank Deeds for sale at this

Office.

PROPOSALS

For Publishing by subscription,

A NEAT EDITION OF THE

KENTUCKY LAWS.

It is proposed, that this edition shall contain only the Laws that are of a general nature, and will consist of the laws lately revised, and to be revised; there will be no more given of local or private laws, than their titles and time of passage. From the best calculations, it will extend to about six hundred pages.

CONDITIONS.

I. This work will be printed in two Numbers, large Octavo, with a neat letter, on good paper, and bound in boards. The first Number to contain all the laws of a General Nature already revised.

II. The price to Subscribers will be Three Dollars; one half to be paid at the time of subscribing, and the balance on the delivery of the Second Number.

III. The work will be put to press as soon as five hundred copies are subscribed for, and the first Number completed with all possible dispatch; the second will be delayed until the first is finished.

IV. If the laws do not exceed five hundred pages, there will be added an Appendix, containing an Abstract of the Duties of a Justice of the Peace, taken from the most Approved Authors, with the different forms of processes in that place; as well as the most usual forms of conveyancing, &c. There will also be added a copious index, whereby any article may be easily found by inspection, and the Constitution of this State, and the United States will be prefixed.

V. Those who subscribe for twelve copies shall have one extra.

As the form in which the A.C.s of Assembly have been printed, renders them not only injurious to carry about, but also liable to injury and therefore less desirable; and as it is probable that the general law will hereafter remain a considerable length of time without alteration, it is in the opinion of this work to remedy those evils, by furnishing them in a portable form, and of durable materials.

JOHN BRADFORD.

To be Let,

FOR ONE OR MORE YEARS,

A VALUABLE SAW and GRIST MILL, in the county of Woodford, on Gravel creek, about half a mile above Tanner's mill, and on the Kentucky river, a very good road leading thereto from said mills, which are situated in an excellent neighborhood, and with a little repair are capable of doing a great deal of business. The terms may be made known by applying to Benjamin Snelling, who lives near the premises, or the subscriber about three miles from Woodford court-house.

PETITION SHORT.

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EXCELLENT CIDER VINEGAR, FOR SALE, by

JOHN BOB, Lexington.

I will sell a great quantity
IN the following tracts of LAND,
for ready money, viz.
Eight thousand seven hundred & fifty
acres lying on the lower side of Fifteen
creek, a west branch of the south fork of
Licking, in the county of Harrison.

Five hundred and fifty acres on said
Fifteen creek above.

One equal moiety of four thousand
acres of land, lying on the waters of
the north fork of Licking river.

Above about thirteen hundred acres
on the waters of Eagle creek.

The whole of the above tracts of land are patented in the name of William Walker, sen. several years ago, and no part of them have ever been claimed by any person holding prior claims to his. The subscriber is fully authorized, by power of attorney from the aforesaid William Walker, sen. to sell the said lands, and make deeds to the purchaser, warranting the same against the aforesaid William Walker, sen. and his heirs. But if any part of the said lands should be lost by prior claims, then the purchased money, with interest, shall be returned for that part so lost.

W. WALKER, sen.

May 5, 1797.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have made application to the county court of Garrard, for an order to enter a town article of Convents, where the land from Lexington to the Crab Orchard, extends the year, leading from Danville to Madison court house.

WILLIAM MURFORD.

June 2, 1797.

Fifth Congress
OF THE UNITED STATES.

An act laying duties on stamped vellum, parchment, and paper.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That from and after the thirty-first day of December next, there shall be levied, collected and paid throughout the United States, the several stamp duties following, to wit: For every skin or piece of vellum, or parchment, or sheet or piece of paper upon which shall be written or printed any or either of the instruments or writings following, to wit: any certificate of naturalization, five dollars; any license to practice or certificate of the admission, enrollment or registry of any counsellor, solicitor, attorney, advocate or proctor in any court of the United States, the sum of ten dollars; any grant or letters patent under the seal or authority of the United States, except for lands granted for military services, four dollars; any exemplification or certified copy of any such grant or letters patent, two dollars; any charter party, bottomry, or respondentio bond, one dollar; any receipt or other discharge for or on account of any legacy left by any will or other testamentary instrument, or for any share or part of a personal estate divided by force of any statute of distributions, the amount whereof shall be above the value of fifty dollars, and shall not exceed the value of one hundred dollars, twenty-five cents; where the amount thereof shall exceed the value of one hundred dollars and shall not exceed five hundred dollars, fifty cents; and for every further sum of five hundred dollars, the additional sum of one dollar; any policy of insurance or instrument in nature thereof, whereby any ships, vessels or goods going from one district to another in the United States, or from the United States to any foreign port or place, shall be insured, to wit, if going from one district to another in the United States, twenty-five cents; if going from the United States to any foreign port or place, when the sum for which insurance is made shall not exceed five hundred dollars, twenty-five cents; and when the sum insured shall exceed five hundred dollars, one dollar; any exemplification of what nature soever, that shall pass the seal of any court, other than such as it may be the duty of the clerk of such court to furnish for the use of the United States, or some particular state, fifty cents; any bonds, bills, single or penal, foreign or inland bill of exchange, promissory note, or other note for the security of money, according to the following scale, viz. on all bonds, bills single or penal, foreign or inland bills of exchange, promissory note or other note above twenty-five dollars, and not exceeding one hundred dollars, ten cents; above one hundred dollars and not exceeding five hundred dollars, twenty-five cents; above five hundred dollars and not exceeding one thousand dollars, fifty cents; above one thousand dollars, twenty-five cents: Provided, that if any bonds or notes shall be payable at or within 60 days, such bonds or notes shall be subject to only two fifth parts of the duty aforesaid; and provided, that notes issued by any of the Banks now established, or which hereafter may be established within the United States, shall be subject to a duty according to the following scale viz: On all notes not exceeding fifty dollars, at the rate of three fifths of a cent for every dollar; above fifty dollars and not exceeding one hundred dollars, fifty cents; above one hundred dollars, and not exceeding five hundred dollars, one dollar; above five hundred dollars, two dollars; any protest or other notarial act, twenty-five cents; any letter of attorney, except for invalid positions, or to obtain or sell warrants for lands granted by the United States as bounty for military services performed in the late war, twenty-five cents; any certificate or debenture for drawback of customs or duties for less than five hundred dollars, one dollar; any certificate or debenture for five hundred dollars, and not exceeding two thousand dollars, two dollars: and on every certificate or debenture for more than two thousand dollars, three dollars; any note or bill of lading for any goods or merchandise to be exported, if sent in one district to another district of the United States, not being

in the same state, ten cents; if to be exported to any foreign port or place, twenty-five cents; any inventory or catalogue of any furniture, goods or effects, made in any case required by law (except in case of goods and chattels detained for rent or taxes, and goods taken in virtue of any legal process by any officer,) fifty cents; any certificate of a share in the Bank of the United States, or of any state, or other bank, above twenty dollars, and not exceeding one hundred dollars, ten cents; above one hundred dollars, twenty-five cents; and for any certificate for every such share under twenty dollars, at the rate of ten cents for one hundred dollars; and the sum for any less sum of the amount of the shares expressed in such certificate; provided, that nothing in this act contained, shall extend to charge with a duty, any legacy left by any will or other testamentary instrument or any share or part of a personal estate, to be divided by force of any statute of distributions which shall be left to, or divided amongst, the wife, children, or grand children of the person deceased intestate, or making such will or testamentary instrument, or any recognition, bill, bond, or other obligation or contract, which shall be made to or with the United States, or any state, or for their use respectively.

§ 2. And be it further enacted, that in respect to any stamp, on any of the notes of the banks, now established, or which hereafter may be established within the United States, it shall be lawful for the secretary of the treasury, to agree to an annual composition for the amount of such stamp duty, with any of the said banks, for one per centum on the amount of the individual dividend made by such banks, to their stockholders respectively.

§ 3. And be it further enacted, that all deeds and writings whatsoever, for the payment of any sum of money, upon the contingency of the loss of any ship, or goods laden or to be laden on board of any ship, or of damage thereto, shall be construed and adjudged to be policies of insurance, within this act chargeable with the several rates of duty herein before mentioned.

§ 4. And be it further enacted, that when any vessel, or any goods or merchandise, laden or to be laden on board of any vessel, shall be infested, or made out, within the space of three days as aforesaid; and the infester or infusters neglecting to make out such policy duly stamped shall be fined, or made out, within the space of three days as aforesaid; and the infester or infusters neglecting to make out such policy or policies, within the time aforesaid, shall forfeit the sum of twenty-five dollars, for every such neglect or offence; and all promissory notes, or other security made for assurance or insurances of ships, goods or merchandizes at sea, or going to sea, in lieu of a policy, are hereby declared void.

§ 5. And be it further enacted, that

every deed, instrument, note, memorandum, letters or other writing between the captain or master, or owner of any ship or vessel, & any merchant, trader or other person, in respect to the hire or freight of such ship or vessel, for conveyance of any money, goods, wares, merchandise or effects, laden or to be laden on board of such ship or vessel, shall be deemed and adjudged to be a charter party.

§ 6. And be it further enacted, that every receipt for every sum of money, paid in whole or in part, of any legacy or share of personal estate, distributed as aforesaid, in the cases in which a duty is hereby charged, shall expire therein the true sum which shall have been so paid; in default of which, as well the person or persons by whom the same shall have been paid, as the person or persons by whom the same shall have been received, shall severally forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars: And every receipt in full, shall be deemed, for the purpose of charging the duties hereby laid, to be for the entire sum of such legacy or share of personal estate, unless it shall be made to appear that all such part thereof, as may not be expressed in such receipt in full, was, previous thereto, paid, and upon a receipt or receipts, duly marked or stamped, according to the directions of this act.

§ 7. And be it further enacted, that every counsellor, solicitor, attorney, proctor, or advocate, who hath been, or shall be admitted, enrolled or registered, in any court of the United States, before he hath at any time after the said thirty-first day of December next, prosecute, carry on, or defend any action, suit or proceeding in

any court of the United States, shall enrolment or registry, from the clerk or prothonotary of the court granting such admission, take out a certificate of such admission; which certificate shall be written on a piece of vellum, parchment, or paper, stamped according to the directions of this act; and such clerk or prothonotary shall make entry of such admission, enrolment or registry, in a book to be kept by him kept for that purpose, to which any person may at reasonable times have access without fee hereafter:—For which certificate and entry there shall be paid to such clerk or prothonotary, by the supervisor of the revenue for the district wherein such court shall be held, the sum of twenty-five cents.

§ 8. And be it further enacted, that the receiving a certificate as aforesaid in any one of the courts of the United States, for any one of the said offices, shall be a sufficient admission in all the courts of the same, for that or any other of the said offices, so far as relates to the payment of the duties imposed by this act; anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

§ 9. And be it further enacted, that the several duties aforesaid shall be levied, collected, received, and accounted for, by and under the immediate direction and management of the supervisors and inspectors of the revenue, and other officers of inspection, subject to the superintendence, control and direction of the treasury department, according to the respective authorities and duties of the officers thereof.

§ 10. And be it further enacted, that it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, to cause to be produced for many marks and stamps, differing from each other, as shall correspond with the several rates of duty aforesaid; that is to say, one mark or stamp for each distinct rate or duty; with which marks and stamps respectively shall be marked or stamped all vellum, parchment or paper, upon which shall be written, or printed, all or any of the several instruments, writings, matters and things herein before enumerated and charged, according to the nature and description of each of the said instruments, writings, matters and things as are herein before specified and described:—Which said several marks and stamps shall be notified by a public notification, or advertisement to be issued by the secretary of the treasury, and inserted in at least one newspaper printed in each state, and in the territory north-west of the Ohio, and for no less than three months before the said thirty-first day of December next, to the end that all persons may have due notice thereof; & which said marks & stamps, or any of them, shall or may be altered or renewed from time to time, as the said secretary of the treasury shall think fit, so as like public notification thereof be made, for a term not less than three months, before such new marks or stamps shall begin to be used.

§ 11. And be it further enacted, that the supervisors of the revenue are hereby empowered & required, forthwith upon demand to them or any of them, made by any person or persons, to stamp or mark any quantities or parcels of vellum, parchment or paper (he or they paying to the supervisor of the revenue respectively, the respective duties hereby directed to be paid for the same) to stamp and mark the same accordingly, without any other fee or reward; which stamp or mark shall be a sufficient discharge for the several and respective duties hereby granted upon the said vellum, parchment or paper, which shall be stamped or marked.

§ 12. And be it further enacted, that if any supervisor of the revenue shall fix any such mark or stamp to any vellum, parchment or paper, upon such request or demand as aforesaid, before the several and respective duties thereupon charged by this act, shall be duly answered and paid, or secured to be paid, he shall for every such offence, forfeit his office, together with the sum of five hundred dollars.

§ 13. And be it further enacted, that if any person or persons, shall write or print, or cause to be written or printed upon any unstamped vellum, parchment or paper, (with intent fraudulently to evade the duties imposed by this act) any of the matters or things for which the said vellum, parchment or paper, is hereby charged to pay any duty; or shall write or print, or cause to be written or print-

ed any matter or thing, upon any vellum, parchment or paper, that shall be marked or stamped for any lower duty than the duty by this act payable, such person so offending, shall for every such offence, forfeit the sum of one hundred dollars; and in case any clerk, officer, or person, in respect to any public office or employment, is or shall be authorized or instructed to make, write or print, any deeds, instruments or writings, by this act charged to pay a duty, as aforesaid, shall be guilty of any fraud, or practice, to defraud or deprive the United States of any duty by this act payable, by making writing or printing any such deed, instrument or writing, or causing the same to be made, written or printed upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or stamped according to this act (or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or stamped with any mark or stamp, which he shall know to be counterfeited) or by writing or printing any such deed, instrument or other writing upon vellum, parchment or paper, that shall be marked or stamped for a lower duty as aforesaid, every such clerk, officer or person so guilty, and being thereof lawfully convicted, shall, instead of the penalty aforesaid, forfeit and pay the sum of five hundred dollars; and if an officer of the United States, shall, in addition thereto, forfeit his office, and be disabled to hold or enjoy the same for the future; and if any deed, instrument or writing whatsoever, by this act charged with the payment of a duty, as aforesaid, shall contravene to the true intent and meaning thereof, be written or printed, by any person or persons whosoever, upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or stamped, according to this act, or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or stamped, for a lower duty than ought to be paid upon the same, even, and in every such case, there shall be paid to the United States, for their use, over and above the duty herein before charged therupon, for stamping every such deed, instrument or writing, the sum of ten dollars; and no such deed, instrument or writing, shall be pleaded or given in evidence in any court, or admitted in any court to be available in law or equity, until it shall be stamped as aforesaid. And the supervisors, respectively are hereby enjoined and required, upon payment or any tender of said duty and sum of ten dollars, unto any of them, to mark or stamp the said vellum, parchment or paper, with the mark or stamp that shall be proper for such deed, instrument or writing, respectively; and if any person or persons, whatever, shall counterfeit or forge any stamp or mark, to resemble any stamp or mark which shall be provided or made in pursuance of this act, or shall counterfeit or resemble the impression of the same upon any vellum, parchment or paper, thereby to defraud the United States of any of the duties hereby granted; or shall utter, vend or sell, any vellum, parchment or paper, with the mark or stamp that shall be proper for such deed, instrument or writing, respectively; or shall privately or fraudulently use any stamp or mark, directed or allowed to be used by this act, in relation to the duties hereby laid, with intent to defraud the United States of any of the said duties, then every such person so offending, being thereof convicted, in due form of law, shall be judged guilty of a misdemeanor, and be subject to be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, and to be imprisoned for any term not exceeding seven years.

§ 14. And be it further enacted, that from and after the 31st day of December, no bank now established, or which shall be hereafter established, which shall not have compensated for the duty hereby required, shall issue any bank bill or promissory note, unless upon paper duly stamped, and wherein the respective duties shall have been paid; & if the officer of any such bank, or any person or persons employed therein, shall thereafter issue any bill or note, not duly stamped as aforesaid, he or they shall forfeit and pay a fine equal to the value of the bill or note so issued.

§ 15. And be it further enacted, that every person who shall be employed for the marking or stamping of vellum, parchment or paper, as aforesaid, before his acting in the marking or stamping of the said vellum, parch-

ment or paper, shall take the following oath or affirmation. "I, [insert the name of the person] do solemnly swear [or affirm, as the case may be] that I will according to the best of my knowledge and skill, faithfully, honestly and carefully execute the trust reposed in me, and will truly mark or stamp, all vellum, parchment or paper, which I shall be required or directed to mark or stamp, and will render a true and exact account thereof to the proper officer or officers, and will faithfully account for all monies which I shall receive therefor."

§ 16. And be it further enacted, that the said supervisors of the revenue, officers and other persons, to be employed by them, shall, from time to time, for the better execution of their several duties and trusts, observe and execute such directions as they respectively shall, from time to time receive from the department of the treasury; which department shall take care that the several parts of the United States shall, from time to time, be sufficiently furnished with vellum, parchment and paper, stamped or marked as aforesaid, so that the citizens thereof, may have it in their election to buy the same of the officers or persons to be employed in and about the execution of this act, at the usual or most common rates above the said duty, or to bring their own vellum, parchment or paper, to be marked or stamped as aforesaid.

§ 17. And be it further enacted, that as often as any alteration or renewal shall be made of, or in the marks or stamps before in use, or any of them, it shall be lawful for all persons who shall, at that time, have in their custody or possession, any vellum, parchment or paper, marked with any mark or stamp, which shall be altered or renewed, and upon which any of the matters or things hereby charged, shall not have been written, or printed, in any time within the space of sixty days, after the intention of renewing or altering shall be notified as aforesaid, to bring and send such vellum, parchment or paper, unto some office of inspection, to whom they shall be brought, or sent, is hereby required to deliver, or cause to be delivered, unto the several persons who shall be bring and deliver any quantity of vellum, parchment or paper, like the quantity of vellum, parchment or paper, and as good in quality, stamped with such new stamp or mark, without demanding or taking, directly or indirectly, for the same, any money or other consideration whatsoever. And in case any person shall neglect, or refuse, within the time aforesaid, to bring, or cause to be brought and delivered unto some officer of inspection, any such vellum, parchment or paper, the same is hereby declared to be of no other effect, or use, than if it had never been marked or stamped; and, after that time, shall, after that time, be written or printed thereon, shall be of no other effect, than if they had been written or printed on vellum, parchment or paper not marked or stamped; and all persons who shall write or print any of the matters or things hereby charged, on such vellum, parchment or paper, after the said time, shall forfeit and suffer as herein before is enacted for persons writing or printing on vellum, parchment or paper not marked or stamped.

§ 18. And be it further enacted, that all and every officer and officers who shall be concerned in the levying, collecting and receiving the duties arising by this act, shall keep a separate and distinct account thereof, and shall pay or remit the same, as speedily as may be, after it shall be received, according to the orders of the department of the treasury.

§ 19. And be it further enacted, that it shall be lawful for the President of the United States, to cause such sum and sums of money to be expended and paid, from time to time, for salaries, compensations, and other incidental charges as shall be necessary in and for the receiving, collecting, levying or managing of the said duties, so as that the whole amount thereof, shall not exceed five per centum of the gross total product of the said duties.

§ 20. And be it further enacted, that all fines, penalties and forfeitures, which shall be incurred by virtue of this act, shall be sued for & recovered in the name of the U. S. or of the su-

pervisor of the revenue, within whose district any such fine, penalty or forfeiture shall have been incurred, by bill or information, in any circuit or district court of the United States, or in any court of either of the said states; one half thereof to the use of the persons who, if an officer of inspection, shall first discover; if other than an officer of inspection, shall first inform of the cause whereby any such fine, penalty or forfeiture shall have been incurred (except in the cases in which a different disposition thereof may have been herein before made) and the other half to the use of the United States.

§ 21. And be it further enacted, that this act shall continue and be in force for, and during the term of five years, and from thence to the end of the next session of Congress, and no longer.

Approved, July 6th, 1797.

NO FICE.—That commissioners appointed by the court of Montgomery county, will meet on the 6th day of September next, at the house of John Arnolds, in said county, on the plantation of Nicholas Anderson, to take testimony, to establish the boundary entry — Nicholas Anderson enters 42 acres of land on a pre-emption, on the south branch of Small mound's creek, to include a cabin and a spring, entered in May 1788.

NICHOLAS ANDERSON.

August 2, 1797.

Lincoln county, April 18, 1797.

Taken up by Jacob Troxel, an iron gray mare, four years old, fourteen and a half hands high, no brand perceptible, shod before, and tufts natural; appraised to 121. Said Troxel took the said mare upon Fishing creek, and he not being eligible to poll the said mare, gave her up to me to deal with according to law.

W. M. OWSLEY.

Taken up by the subscriber, living on the road, about one mile and a half from the mouth of Shawnee run, in Woodford county, a bright bay mare, supposed to be five years old, three inches high, both hind feet white, mixed with some dark spots, has a blaze face, with some few dark spots, trots naturally, appears to have been broken on the near buttck, but no legible; appraised to 121.

Henson Votter.

May 6.

Taken up by the subscriber, living on the south side of Kentucky, near Captain Arnold's, Franklin county, a foal horse colt, three years old, a black in his face, his hind feet white, branded on the near shoulder and thigh R 1; appraised to 81.

Also a brown horse colt, one year old, with a large star in his forehead; appraised to 31.

JOHN M'BRAYERS.

April 27.

Take Notice,

That on the first day of September next, if fair, if not on the next fair day, we shall attend with the commissioners appointed by the county court of Clarke, in two sessions made in the name of Bartholomew Dupuy, (to wit) Bartholomew Dupuy enters 930 acres, upon Treasury warrants, on a west branch of Stoner's fork of Licking, two heads opposite to Four Mile creek, waters of Kentucky, to include a spring at a small deadwood, with a tree marked at the spring Es, to begin on the creek, about 40 poles below, and extending up the creek on both sides for quantity. 100 acres, adjoining the above entry on the south west, about on the south side, extending four rods, appropriated for quantity, 5 times as much as there to take on oath, the depositions of sturdy witness, touching the premises, and to do such other acts and things as by law the said commissioners are authorized and required to do for the purpose of ascertaining the deadening, boundary, or any other special place called for in said entries, and perpetuate the testimony thereof.

JOSEPH DUPUY,
AND
JOEL DUPUY, Ex'r.

July 25.

N. B. At the time of taking the above deposition, as much of the above tract of land as may appear to be safe, will be offered for sale or in exchange for land in Shelby county,

The LEGALIS.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern.

THAT agreeable to an order of court obtained in Bullitt county, pursuant of an act of assembly in such cases made and provided, that on the 30th day of August attend the commissioners, &c. at the old Buffalo crossing, on the south side of Salt river, about one mile and a half below Bullitt's lick, for the purpose of taking the depositions of certain witnesses, to establish certain calls or cuts in an entry of mine.

Jacob Bowman.

LEXINGTON

Saturday, August 5, 1797.

LEXINGTON LODGE LOTTERY,

AND CHANCES OF INSURANCE.

Twenty-fourth day Drawing.—Aug. 4,

PRIZES.

Or 25 dollars, No. 2544.
Or 25 dollars, No. 1552, 1785.
Or 15 dollars, No. 776, 1-24, 1436, 1571,
2024, 2-98.
Or 10 dollars, No. 9, 295, 547, 281, 931,
1353, 2-13, 2076.
Or 6 dollars, No. 9, 295, 547, 281, 931,
1455, 1563, 2165, 2831, 2947, 2950,
974, 1518, 1525, 1526.

ISLANDS.

No. 24, 56, 89, 139, 242, 3-9, 265, 289,
396, 42, 493, 636, 657, 784, 8, 266, 936,
1-24, 1552, 1211, 1279, 1272, 1291, 13-25,
1329, 1461, 15-9, 1521, 1591, 1611, 162,
1625, 1792, 1841, 18-9, 1859, 1970, 2-23,
2016, 2111, 2159, 2159, 224, 2326, 233,
2343, 2517, 2551, 259, 253-5, 267-6, 17-38,
273, 2757, 2793, 2837, 2893, 2923, 2941,
2951, 2968.

* * * Through mistake, I advertised the meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Transylvania Seminary to be on Saturday the 6th of August, which ought to have been the 12th, the saturday before Fayette court, on which day they are to meet.

B. J. BRADFORD, Clerk.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

AN away from the subscriber about the middle of March last, a black negro man named WAT, about twenty years of age, five feet six or seven inches high, well set, smart and active, his right ankle appears to be much swelled, though it is no impediment to his walking, large full eyes, with a small scar over one of them, long nappy hair; dressed in coarse hemp linen, except a pair of buck skin breeches. Whoever will deliver full negro to the subscriber, living on Muddy creek, Madison county, shall have the above reward, and all reasonable charges paid.

SAMUEL GILBERT.

Aug. 3.

TAKEN up by the subscriber, living on Parker's run, near Mr. Henry Boone's bay Mare, about 14 hands high, 5 years old, branded on the near shoulder, but not intelligible, she had on a leather collar, & a saddle spot on her back—appraised to 15.

George Thompson.

June 6, 1797.

One hundred Dollars reward.

STOLEN OUT OF MY SHOP
THREE WATCHES, & TWO GOLD
RINGS.

ONE of which is a small French gold Watch, which I missed about the 20th of last September. I am informed the maker's name (which was on the face, and perhaps on the inside also) was L'Eppine, a Paris—there was a piece broke out of the face by winding with two large keys; if any carving on the case, it was only a little round the rim and joint; when stolen it looked dull by lying some time out of use, wanted cleaning and a glass, had a small yellow chain with flat links and a small flat gilt key. The silver watches were both missed since the middle of this month; one of which was of the new kind of flat watches, with gold bands, made by James Miller, London, No. 296, if I remember right. The other was what is called a Holland watch, but I think it was made by John Aarden, Liverpool, No. 1013, as well as I recollect; the cock on the balance-wheel was silver, in which was a garnet stone for the wheel to run on; she had yellow hands and the outside case shut like a box without any spring. One of the rings was of a common kind, with middle sized square white stone. The other was an old mourning Ring, which weighed about half a guinea, lettered with "Frances Nelson, obit (date forgotten) A.D. 84," but scarcely legible.

Whoever apprehends and delivers to me the thief or thieves, and the articles above mentioned, shall be entitled to the above reward, or twenty dollars for each watch, and one dollar for each ring.

SAM. AYRES.
Lexington, July 28, 1797.

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Whereas my wife Catharine Davis, has eloped from my bed and board—the out any just cause—she is therefore to forewarn any person from dealing with her on my account, as I am determined not to pay any debt of her contracting.

CHARLES DAVIS.

July 31.

Taken up by the subscriber, living near the Kentucky river, above the mouth of Glen's creek, a black mare, with a small tail, four years old, about seven years old, about four feet high, no brand perceptible, appraised to 15.

CARLES KARRE.

Woodford, April 4.

WSP



SACRED TO THE MUSES.

An ANACREON to FLIP.

Scrool! to thy bar-room skip,
Make a foaming mug of FLIP;
Make it from our country's staple,
Rum, New-England, Sugar, Maple,
Beer that's brewed from Hops and Pumpkin,
Grateful to the thrifty Bunkin.
Mark! I hear thy poker fizzle,
And o'er the mug thy drible drizzles;
All against the sharp tassel runs,
I hear the horn spoon's cheerful dub;
Quick, Stingo, take the Flip,
And fling thy quid from under lip,
Then pour more rum, and bottle slopping,
Stir it again, and wear'tis tipping.

Come quickly, bring the humming liquor,
Richer than ale of British vites;
Bitter than uiscebaugh Hibernian,
Or than Fleaco's fam'd Falernian;
More potent, healthy racy, frisky,
Than Holland's gin, or Georgia's whiskey.
Come, make a ring around the fire,
And hand me ring unto thyshire;
Here, deacon, take the elbow chair,
And enjoin Holliday, fit there!
You take the dye-tub, you the charm,
And I'll the double corner turn.

See the mangling liquor rise!
And burn their cheeks, and close their eyes,
See the fiddling mug incline,—
Hear them curse their dull divine,
Who on Sunday da'd to rail,
At Brewster's Flip, or Downer's Ale.
Quick, Stingo, fly and bring another,
The deacon here, shall pay for t'other,
Ensign and I the third will share,
It's due on two for pie-bald mare.

ANECDOCE.

A little before the battle of Saratoga, in 1777, an American light-horseman deserted to Burgoyne, leaving his horse behind him, with the troops under Arnold. When Burgoyne's cause became desperate, a friend of the light-horseman's observed, "That he had taken better care of his horse than of himself."

AT a meeting of the board of trustees of the Transylvania Seminary, July 8th 1797.

Resolved, that this board do now adjourn to meet again on Saturday the 12th of August next, at 9 o'clock A. M. where the members are requested to be punctual in their attendance.

By order of the Board,
B. J. BRADFORD, Clk.

Notice,

THAT the subscriber wishes to establish a town on a tract of land called Bullittsburg, in Campbell county, on the Ohio river, directly opposite to Judge Symm's settlement, at the North Bend; and that we will make application to the court of the said county, at their next October court for the purposes aforesaid.

CAVE JOHNSON.

June 24, 1797. 2am3m

NOTICE.

THAT on the first Monday in October I will petition the county court of Bracken, to establish the town of Augusta, on the Ohio below the mouth of Bracken creek, agreeable to an act of Assembly.

PHILIP BUCKNER.

June 10, 1797. 2am3m

IN the latter end of the year 1795, a certain William Owens, of Scott county, took up a dark room mare, about five years old; and a strawberry roan filly, neither of which was branded, or any other visible mark. In the beginning of the year '96, he traded the mare to Alexander Mahan, who traded her to a certain Asa Grinnell who has taken her out of the state. In the latter part of '96, said Owens traded the colt to John McCarty, previous to which he branded it thus L. A. S. I have good reason to believe that said Owens did not agreeably to law, and I have taken up the colt, I take this method of giving the above information to enable the owner to obtain his property.

ABRAM HEATH.

August 1, 1797.

Notice.

I FOREWARN all persons dealing with any of my Negroes, particularly the one who may deserve my team. Greatly to my injury they have been paid for taking goods in a loaded wagon, when on a journey.

WALTER BEALL.

May 29, 1797. Lexington.

LAND FOR SALE.

79 THE SUBSCRIBER HAS several tracts of Land in different parts of Kentucky, for sale, which he will dispose of reasonably.

JOHN CLAY.

Lexington, 4th August, 1797.

IRON BANK.

90 FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

O NE thousand acres of Land, lying North-West of the Ohio, containing an extensive bank of excellent Coal, as the subscribers suppose the quality of this ore has been ascertained by Mr. Saenger of Lexington, to whom any person desirous of purchasing, can apply for information. The above tract of land lies about twelve miles from the Ohio river, and about one mile from Little Nicotra, which comprises one miles above the three Islands.—A stream supposed to be well calculated for a furnace, runs through the land, and has fall of thirty feet at one spot, and about three quarters of a mile from the bank of ore.—For further particulars apply to Mr. Alexander Parker of Lexington, or the subscribers in Washington.

BASIL DUKE.

JOHN COURN.

April 21, 1797.

Fayette County set.

To all Sheriffs, Mayors, Baileys, Constables, and Ecclesiarchs within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

WHEREAS complaint is made to me this day, upon the oath of William Ford, Sheriff of the county aforesaid, the William Shaw, laborer, of the town of Scott, who was committed to the jail of the said county, Fayette on suspicion of felony, did on Saturday the sixteenth of the present month forcibly escape from the said jail, and is now going at large.

There are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth, to require you and every of you, in your respective counties, towns and precincts, to make diligent search by way of hue and cry for the said William Shaw, and him having found to seize and retake and safely convey, or cause him to be conveyed to the jail of the said county of Fayette, there to be kept until he shall be thence discharged by due course of law. Given under my hand and seal this 20th day of July, 1797, sixth year of the Commonwealth.

AND. McCALLA.

41 Mr. DOYLY, (a hunter,) that was once with me, will please to call again, he will hear of something very much to his advantage.

EDWARD WEST.

Lexington. 6w

Thirty Dollars Reward.

R AN away from Washington, (Marion county, Kentucky,) sometime in May last, a Negro man named LOUIS, (or LUKE,) about twenty-four years of age, five feet six or eight inches high, has a half in one of his legs. The above reward will be given if secured in any jail in this state.

A. HOLMES.

Lexington, July 15. tf

FOR SALE.

2 The Subscriber,

WHO is about to remove his old Rose Walk, will lay out the land on which it stands, in six lots, sixty-six and two thirds feet in front, and one hundred and forty back, he will also lay out on the street he lives on, the same fine brick walk with brick steps, on three of the other lots will lay three fine brick houses, which will accommodate many families; all of which will be sold on reasonable terms by THOMAS HANCOCK.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held for the county of Logan, the 17th day of June 1797.

JOHN HANCOCK, complainant,
Against
JAMES HARRIOTT, defendant.

In Chancery.

THE defendant not having entered his appearance agreeable to an act of assembly and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that he is no inhabitant of this state—on the motion of the complainant by his council it is ordered that the defendant doth appear here on the second day of the next court, to be held on the second Tuesday in September next, and answer the complainant's bill, and that a copy of this order be inserted in the Kentucky Gazette or Herald for two months successively, and posted up at the Salem meeting-house, in this county where divine service is performed.

Samuel Caldwell, C. L. C. Q.

Blank Bonds For Sale.

91 NOTICE.

WHEREAS, the partnership of Alexander and James Parker being dissolved by the death of James) the executors of the deceased, earnestly request all those indebted to the said firm, by bond, note or account, to come forward and pay the same to their respective balances; likewise all those who have any demands against said firm, to bring them forward properly authenticated, for settlement, as the debts of the deceased must be immediately paid and the partnership settled.—No indulgence can be expected.

ALEX. PARKER.

JOHN COURN.

JOHN BRADFORD,

Lexington, April 12, 1797.

THE SUBSCRIBERS,

HAVE just received and are now opening at their Store in Lexington, a large and general assortment of

MERCHANDISE,

WHICH will sell low for Cash, Hemp Tallow and Tea; all which they will give the highest price for, at their Store in Lexington Cynthia, E. Winter's Mills at the mouth of Tate's Creek, or any Ware House on the Kentucky River.

MOODY & DOWNING

December 19, 1796.

JOHN CLAY.

29 NOTICE.

The partnership of CHARLES HOWARD & Co. was dissolved on the 10th instant. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands against said firm, to bring them forward properly authenticated, for settlement, as the debts of the deceased must be immediately paid and the partnership settled.

ANDREW HOLMES.

April 16.

17 TO BE SOLD,

(BY PUBLIC AUCTION)

IN WELFORT, in Shelby county, at the junction of Ohio and Eighteen mile creek, a proportionate number of acres of LAND in every part of the country, at the following times and places: (viz.) On the 21st instant, and the 2d of August next, if the weather be fair day; at Eastford, on the 8th, it being court day, and at Frankfort, on the 13th, it being also court day. Twelve months credit will be given, the purchasers giving bond with approved security.—The terms will be more fully made known at the day of sale.

By order of the Trustees,

JOHN ALLEN, Clk.

June 5, 1797.

N. B. The subscribers purpose to privilege the purchasers to LOTS in Welfort, to make payment for the same in certain species of property which will be hereafter described, at its valuation in current money, in the months of April and May next. The road leading from Frankfort to Welfort, will be opened in a short time, and continued on to the Illinois county. The road from Shelyville to Welfort has been opened for some time.

JOS. DUPUY.

H. BOWMAN.

Warranted Bouting Cloths,

From No. 1 to No. 6, for sale at

ANDREW HOLMES'S STORE,
The corner of Main and Mill streets,
Lexington.

Three Hundred Dollars Reward.

WHEREAS a certain Christopher F. Parnell, walked out from Boston on or about the 27th of October last in the flood season, with a valuable cargo bound to Baltimore, but went off to the West Indies, where he sold the vessel and cargo. On or about the first instant, he was apprehended (as a suspicious character) in this town, and examined before several magistrates, but for want of sufficient proof to detect him in his villainy, he was discharged.

On the 1st, the said Parnell is a villain, and is dangerous, and fitful, and fond, pernicious to the amount of \$3000 dollars.

He left this town about the last half of October in a chair, painted green, drawn by a gray mare, and went on the Newbern road, but on this side Trenton, took the road to Fayetteville, and most probably is passing through the back part of the state into the western counties.

He had when he left this town, upwards of \$2000 dollars in gold, and about 7000 dollars in bank notes.

Parnell is a small man, about thirty years of age, much poore marked, has long black hair, receding small eyes, and has a down look when spoken to.

Whoever will secure the said Parnell, and the money he has with him, and give information to Benjamin Williams of Baltimore, John Long Esq. at Hillsborough, to Mr. A. Joslin of this town, or to the subscriber who is in pursuit of the villain, shall receive the above reward.

ABNER CRAFF.

Wilmington, (N. C.) April 26, 1797.

FOR SALE,

THE FOLLOWING TRACTS OF LAND: viz.

18 Acres of Military Land.

TING in the county of Clarke, about 14 miles from Lexington on the main road leading from thence to Clarke courthouse, adjoining the land of Hubbard Taylor.—This land lies well, is all of the first quality, and of indispensible title—a deed of general warranty will be given. Any person inclined to it will be gratified by Mr. Taylor. The terms may be known by applying to Mr. Joseph Coffey in Lexington, or to Capt. Richard Terrell or Beargrass.

Aaron Fontaine.

Jefferson, March 5, 1797.

* * * This whole will be sold together, or divided into one, or two hundred acre lots, as may best suit the purchasers.

A. F.

June 12, 1797.

W. WINSLOW.

Strayed from the plantation

of Mr. Francis Downing, on Hickman, four miles from Lexington, on the 23d instant, a dark bay horse, eight or nine years old, nearly white, hands high, a blaze and flip, two fine feet white. Whoever will deliver the said horse to Mr. Francis Downing, or to the subscriber, shall have the above reward.

George Heytel.

Lexington, April 28.

FOR SALE, 261

That noted tract of LAND, English's station, containing four hundred acres, three miles from the Clark orchard, supposed to be equal, if not superior to any in the district, for a public house; as the land is of good quality, a great part of it would make excellent meadow; the range is good both winter and summer, and from its situation, no doubt will be permanent; well watered with springs; a good seat for a distillery, and Dick's river runs through it, about eighty or ninety acres now in order for cropping. An indispensible title will be made to the subscriber. For terms apply to the Printer hereof, or to the subscriber at Madison court house.

Spencer Griffin.

April 21.

I have just imported

AN ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF

BOOT LEGS.

Which I will sell low for CASH.

JAMES TROTTER.

Lexington, May 20, 1797.